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The Southern District of Texas, with its 450-mile border with Mexico, has one of the most active and diverse criminal and civil dockets of the 94 federal judicial districts. The law student clerkship program provides participants with supervised, direct responsibility for post-conviction and post-appeal litigation.

**Projected No. of Volunteers:** 18

**Internship Location(s):** (10) Houston; (2) Laredo; (2) Brownsville; (2) Corpus Christi; (2) McAllen

**Application Materials:** Cover letter, resume and brief writing sample. **Note:** All application materials must be mailed to the Post Office Box indicated above. **No applications by e-mail, please.**

**Qualifications:** First-year (second semester) and second-year law students. **Must be a U.S. citizen.**

**Application Deadline:** January 3, 2006

**Minimum Weeks Required:** 10 weeks (begin shortly after Memorial Day)

**Salary:** Volunteer (without compensation) or work-study credit

**Assignments:** Participants will be assigned to the Appellate and Civil Divisions with responsibilities to research and draft briefs in post-judgment and post-appeal litigation. The program will include briefings in all aspects of Federal criminal and civil litigation, and opportunities to attend hearings and trials.

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